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SUBCOMMITTEE TO REVIEW CONTAINMENT LABORATORY COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPLICATIONS

FREDERICK, MD – The Frederick Board of County Commissioners and The City of Frederick Mayor Randy McClement and Board of Aldermen today announced which officials will serve on a temporary subcommittee of the Containment Laboratory Community Advisory Committee. Commissioners David Gray and Kai Hagen will serve on behalf of the county and Aldermen Karen Young and Carol Krimm will serve on behalf of the city.

Due to the large number of applications received by those who wish to serve on the committee, the subcommittee was set up to make the initial review of the applications and make recommendations to the County Commissioners and The City of Frederick Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

Recommendations from the subcommittee will be presented for consideration at the county/municipalities meeting on November 18 at 3:00 p.m. in the third floor meeting room of Winchester Hall, 12 East Church Street, Frederick, Md.

Membership on the committee will include one representative each from the county, city, private-sector health field, private-sector life sciences industry and five at-large local citizens. There will also be a Fort Detrick liaison assigned to the committee who is not a member of the committee. Members will elect a chair to run the meetings.

As of the October 8 deadline, 23 individuals applied for voluntary service on the Containment Laboratory Community Advisory Committee. The purpose of the committee is to expand communications between the public, the U.S. Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases and containment laboratories at Fort Detrick and in Frederick County.

For additional information about the committee, visit www.FrederickCountyMD.gov/labcac.

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